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CZECHOSLOVAK FEDERAL LAWS NUMBER 187 AND 188,
COVERING ORGANIZED SALE AND PERSONAL USE OF UNAUTHORIZED
DRUGS (INCLUDING MARIHUANA) RESPECTIVELY, SPECIFY MAXIMUM
PENALTIES OF TWO YEARS' PRISON AND LOSS OF PROPERTY. THUS,
WITHIN THE CONFINES OF CZECHOSLOVAK LEGAL THEORY, NO DISTINCTION
IN TERMS OF SEVERITY OF PENALTY IS MADE BETWEEN PERSONAL USE
AND TRAFFICKING. IN PRACTICE, HOWEVER, CZECHOSLOVAK JUDGES
TEND TO APPLY THE MAXIMUM SENTENCES TO TRAFFICKERS AND
LIGHTER ONES TO MERE USERS.

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